

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY EXECUTIVE REGULATION

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Montgomery County Regulation On:

## **BODYWORKS FEE SCHEDULE**

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Issued by: County Executive Regulation No. 15-15 COMCOR No. 24.11.04

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Comment Deadline: July 30, 2015

SUMMARY:

This regulation is established to set fees for the licensing and regulation of

bodyworks establishments in Montgomery County, in accordance with Code

Section 24-11.B

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BACKGROUND

INFORMATION: This regulation is part of a package of legislation recommended by the Human

Trafficking Task Force in order to address the problem of human trafficking operations circumventing the state and local massage regulations by claiming to engage only in acupressure, reflexology, or other unregulated "bodyworks" in Montgomery County. This regulation establishes fees for the licensing of bodyworks establishments. These amendments, coupled with companion legislation and regulations to address gaps in the existing enforcement regime for illegal massage establishments, will improve the County's ability to detect and eliminate criminal activity with minimal burden on legitimate business activity. The Department of Permitting Services and the Montgomery County

Police Department participated in the development of this regulation.



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Initial Establishment Application (Non-refundable)	\$20
Initial Establishment License	\$200
Annual Establishment License Renewal	\$10
Duplicate License	\$10
Additional Charge for Filing Renewal Application after Expiration	\$10
Establishment Change of Location	\$100

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Approved as to form and legality:

Office of the County Attorney /Date